



November 3, 2014

Local Agency Conference Call

We will be having our local agency conference call this Thursday, November 6 from 9:00-11:00 am. Please ensure at least one person from each local agency will attend and share the information with others. Please view the [agenda](#) which includes the call in number, no webex is needed for this call.

There will be a discussion about how the food rule changes (especially with low-fat milk) have been going, we would like to hear some feedback and ideas to share with others about how you have tried to make these changes easier on participants. Please think about this ahead of time if you would like to share.

FFY15 Contract Requirement Deadline

This is a reminder for all local agencies who have sub contracts, CPA and/or RD contracts; November 15, 2014 is the final deadline to submit copies to the state WIC office. This is a contract requirement. If copies have not been received by the deadline, expenditure reimbursements will be held until the requirement is met.

FFY15 Expenditure Report

Please retain a copy of the regular [WIC Expenditure Report](#) and the [WIC Expenditure Report with BFPC](#) in excel if you are interested. Please remember these reports have been standardized so if you are using an old copy just be sure it is up to date.

Lactation Information Resource

A monthly newsletter called [Lactation Education Resources](#) is another resource for breastfeeding information. In this month's issue there were at least three things I found useful. One was the link to five YouTube videos produced as a joint venture by Ameda and Babygooroo; second was a two page handout titled "Is My Baby Getting Enough?"; and third was information and a link to CDC information about Ebola and breastfeeding.

State Plans Still Available

Printed WIC State Plans in binders are still available. If you would like one please contact [Mark Squires](#) by the end of the week.



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